

MR. MURUKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN: May I know whether Government are aware that by promoting all these six undergraduates simultaneously some of the graduates belonging to the unrepresented communities have been affected?

MR. K. SANKARAN: By giving certain preference to some, the graduate proportion will be certainly affected to some extent.

MR. MUKUKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN: May I know whether by this arrangement graduates from unrepresented communities who were already acting as Sub-Registrars have not been reverted?

MR. K. SANKARAN: Their claims will be considered in due course.

Varnavas in the Electrical Department.

151. * **MR. KAVIYOOR K. K. KOCHUKUNJU (Nominated):** Will the Government be pleased to state the number of clerks belonging to Varnava Community in the Electrical Department?

MR. M. K. NILAKANTA AIYAR (Chief Secretary to Government): Three.

Road from Kumarapuram junction to Anayara.

152. * **MR. MURUKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether any representation has been received regarding the construction of a road leading from Kumarapuram (കുമാരപുരം) junction adjoining the Amayattu thodu and joining the Anayara (അനയാര) road; and

(b) if the answer to part (a) is in the affirmative, what action has been taken in the matter?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: (a) Yes.

(b) As the cost for the construction of the road was found to be prohibitive, Government have ordered this work to lie over for the present.

Road from Thattarambalam to the Mavelikara-Tiruvalla road.

153. * **MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI (Mavelikara cum Kunnattur):** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) how long it is since a portion of the road beginning from Thattarambalam and meeting the Mavelikara-Tiruvalla road, via Valiya Karimpuzha ferry, has been gravelled;

(b) the distance kept incomplete; and

(c) what is the delay in completing this road due to?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: (a) 3 years.

(b) $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

(c) Want of funds.

Haripad-Elanjimel road.

154. * **MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) the length of the Haripad-Elanjimel road;

(b) whether any portion of this road has been gravelled;

(c) if so, the distance gravelled; and

(d) the reason for leaving a portion of the road still ungravelled.

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: (a) $8\frac{1}{4}$ miles.

(b) Yes.

(c) 5 miles.

(d) For want of funds.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI (*Karunagapally cum Kartigapally*): May I know with reference to part (c), when the road was metalled?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: 5 miles of it were gravelled some time ago. I don't remember the exact year of gravelling.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI: May I know whether any estimate has been prepared for gravelling the remaining portion?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: No estimate has been prepared.

Labourers employed in the Clay Refining and Porcelain Factory at Kundara.

155. *MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) the average number of labourers employed in each of the months in the year 1114, in the Clay Refining and Porcelain Factory at Kundara; and

(b) the total wages paid each month?

MR. C. KUMARA DAS (*Director of Industries*): (a) & (b) A statement furnishing the information is appended.

Burial ground in the Ramamangalam pakuthi, Muvattupuzha taluk, for Backward communities.

156. *MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether applications have been received by the authorities for a burial ground in the Ramamangalam pakuthi, Muvattupuzha taluk, for the use of members of backward communities; and

(b) if so, the action taken on those applications?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Pro-Vice-Chancellor, University of Travancore*): (a) Yes.

(b) Steps are in progress for the acquisition of a suitable site already selected.

Public hall and a burial ground for the use of the Pulayas.

157. *MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) whether the people of the Pathanamthitta taluk have applied for the grant of a public hall and a burial ground for the use of the Pulayas in the Mallappuzhasseri pakuthi, Pathanamthitta taluk; and

(b) if so, the action taken in respect of those applications?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN: (a) Yes.

(b) The matter was enquired into and it was found that there was no necessity to provide for a common building in the Mallappuzhasseri pakuthy.

Steps are, however, being taken to provide a burial ground at the place.

MR. T. T. KESAVAN SASTRI: അവിടെ ഒരു പൊതുസ്ഥാപനത്തിന്റെ ആവശ്യം കാണുന്നില്ലെന്ന് മറുപടിയിൽ പറഞ്ഞുകാണുന്നു. അങ്ങിനെ പറയുന്നതിന് പ്രത്യേകകാരണം വല്ലതുമുണ്ടോ?

* *Vide* Appendix VII, page 342.